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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION WITH REQUESTS FOR EXTENSION OF TIME,
WITHDRAWAL OF RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT AND ELECTION OF SPECIES**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

In response to the Restriction and Election of Species Requirement dated September 4, 2002, which sets a one month period for response, Applicants elect with traverse, Group I; Hematopoietic cells from Group A; CD34⁺ cell surface marker from Group B; and CFC-T cells and T-cells from Group C.

REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.17(a) and 1.136(a), a five month extension of the term for reply, i.e., up to and including March 4, 2003, is respectfully requested. Enclosed is a check for the small entity fee of \$985.00. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fee for the extension of time, or any additional fee required by this paper, or credit any overpayment in such fees to Deposit Account No. 50-0320.